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## **Amendments to the Claims**

Please replace claim 42 in the application with the following amended claim 42.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.173(d), editing marks (underlining for added text and bracketing for omitted text) have been used to show any variations between this claim and the claims originally present in the patent from which reissue is sought. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.173(b)(2), the parenthetical "Amended" has been used to indicate the claim is being amended with respect to the previous version of the claim in this application.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.173(c), Appendix A sets forth the support in the original disclosure for the amendment, and summarizes the status of every claim ever present in the application. Also, for the examiner's convenience, the claim that has been amended in this amendment has been rewritten with editing marks to show how the claim differs from the previous version of that claim. In the column to the right of the amended claim is a short explanation of the support in the original disclosure for the amended or new subject matter. No new matter is being added to the application by these amendments, and each of the changes is fully supported in the original disclosure.

42. (Amended) A rechargeable battery according to claim 13 wherein a drill chuck is powered by the drive assembly.